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CAMDENTON, OSAGE BEACH MEN INDICTED FOR COUNTERFEITING CONSPIRACY

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. – Todd P. Graves, United States Attorney for the Western District of Missouri, announced that three central Missouri men were indicted by a federal grand jury today for participating in a conspiracy to manufacture and pass counterfeit money in Camden and Boone counties in Missouri.

Adrian Douglas Mundy, Jr., 18, and Bryan Anthony Dean, 21, both of Camdenton, Mo., and Todd Manning Sandlin, 23, of Osage Beach, Mo., were charged in a 14-count indictment returned by a federal grand jury in Jefferson City.

Count One of the federal indictment alleges that **Mundy**, **Dean** and **Sandlin** participated in a conspiracy to manufacture and pass counterfeit \$10, \$20, \$50 and \$100 bills from Sept. 18 to Oct. 9, 2004, in Camden and Boone counties.

According to the indictment, **Mundy** and his co-conspirators were able to obtain more than \$3,000 in merchandise, illegal narcotics, and money as a result of the conspiracy. The indictment alleges that the co-conspirators used a computer copier/scanner/printer to make counterfeit bills, then provide that counterfeit money to others to be passed through local businesses into the economy.

Mundy and **Dean** allegedly passed counterfeit \$20 bills to various fast food restaurants and convenience stores in Camdenton and Osage Beach.

Count Two of the federal indictment alleges that **Mundy**, **Dean** and **Sandlin** manufactured counterfeit \$10, \$20, \$50 and \$100 bills from Sept. 18 to Oct. 9, 2004.

Counts Three through Thirteen of the federal indictment allege 11 specific incidents in which **Mundy** and/or **Dean** allegedly passed or attempted to pass counterfeit bills.

Count Fourteen of the federal indictment is a forfeiture count, which would require the co-defendants to forfeit to the government any property used to make counterfeit bills, including a Hewlett Packard copier/scanner/printer.

Graves cautioned that the charges contained in the indictment are simply accusations, and not evidence of guilt. Evidence supporting the charges must be presented to a federal trial jury, whose duty is to determine guilt or innocence.

This case is being prosecuted by Assistant U.S. Attorney Jim Lynn. It was investigated by the United States Secret Service, the Camden County, Mo., Sheriff's Department, the Camdenton, Mo., Police Department, the Osage Beach, Mo., Department of Public Safety and the Columbia, Mo., Police Department.

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